

MOTION BY MAYOR MICHAEL D. ANTONOVICH

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The criminal illegal alien population in the County's jail currently comprises about 24% of the total inmate population. Consequently, the State Criminal Alien Assistance Program (SCAAP), which reimburses State and local governments for housing criminal illegal aliens, is vital to the County of Los Angeles. Without adequate reimbursement through SCAAP, State and local governments are forced to shoulder the high costs of incarcerating criminal illegal aliens. The President's proposed budget excludes funding for the SCAAP program in its entirety.

I, THEREFORE, MOVE THAT the Board of Supervisors direct the Chief Administrative Officer to prepare a five-signature letter to President George Bush and all members of Congress in support of full reimbursement from the State Criminal Alien Assistance Program.

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2-14-06 State Criminal Alien Assistance Program (SCAAP)

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